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Applicant: Kenneth Hinds
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Examiner: Hope A Robinson
Title: Method for Preparation of Site-Specific Protein Conjugates
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AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE
37 C.F.R. 1.111

Dear Sir:

This Response is filed in response to the Non-Final Office Action mailed from the USPTO on April 14, 2010, to which a three-month shortened statutory for reply expired July 14, 2010. Applicant herein requests a three-month extension of time to respond to the Office Action, thus extending the period for response to October 14, 2010. This response has been filed on October 14, 2010 and, as such, this response is timely filed. A Petition for Extension of Time and a payment of \$555.00 for a three-month extension of time to respond is attached herewith. In the event that an additional fee is deemed necessary or overpayment due in connection with this response, the undersigned authorizes the charge to be applied to Deposit Account No. 502679. Furthermore, a Declaration has been filed in support of the remarks made herein.

Amendments to the Claims begin on Page 2 of this response.

Remarks begin on Page 5 of this response.

Please reconsider the application as follows: